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NEWS RELEASE

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Beaverton Police Department will be Conducting a Pedestrian Safety Detail

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The Beaverton Police Department is dedicated to enhancing the safety of its citizens and will be conducting a Pedestrian Safety Detail on January 31, 2012. The detail will be at the intersection of SW 125th Avenue near the Fanno Creek path; just south of SW Brockman Street.

The primary focus of this detail is to raise pedestrian safety awareness to both drivers and pedestrians through education and enforcement of pedestrian right of way laws. This education is vital to keeping our roads safe for Beaverton's citizens and the motoring public.

The detail will be conducted between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.; warning signs will be posted prior to entering the pedestrian safety operation zone. The posted speed limit on SW 125th Avenue is 35 mph.

Motorists must stop and yield to pedestrians who are waiting to cross, or are crossing the roadway. Drivers are also required to stop at all crosswalks when there is a vehicle already stopped in a lane adjacent to the lane they are traveling in. Refer to Oregon Revised Statutes (ORS) 811.028 Failure to Stop and Remain Stopped for Pedestrian, for specifics on the law regarding drivers and ORS Chapter 814 for laws pertaining to pedestrians.

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